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## Honeymoons

### SOLAR OPPOSITES

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appear almost Venetian. Or just go to your room: All 72 have cool, white marble floors and mahogany beds. For views of Grace Bay, one of the prettiest beaches in the Caribbean, treat yourselves to an upper floor oceanfront suite—heaven can wait. Doubles from \$575, including breakfast, January through April; 866-877-7256 or thepalmstc.com.—B. P.

### The Palms Villa Resort

SIGNAL HILL

TOBAGO

Where do Trinidadians, who already live on a gorgeous island, go to get away? The next-door island of Tobago, where protected forest blankets the highlands and pristine reefs glisten below the water. It's an idealized Caribbean setting, right out of your fantasies. (And reality TV: MTV's *Real World/Road Rules Challenge* was shot

here.) You can enjoy your own escape from civilization in one of the stylish West Indian-style cottages at the Palms Villa Resort, a secluded 10-acre enclave where each house has its own pool. The villas come with fully stocked kitchens, so you can cook your own meals. Or ask the resort's cook to whip up a dinner of curried flying fish and macaroni pie (the local take on mac 'n' cheese). With someone else minding the stove, you'll be free to sit on the porch and watch the frigate birds wheeling overhead. Three-bedroom villas from \$450, January through April; 800-809-5118 or thepalmstobago.com.—J. T.

### Petit St. Vincent Resort

PETIT ST. VINCENT

THE GRENADINES

Don't speak. There's no need to at this remote, private island near the southern tip of the Caribbean chain. When you desire roasted lobster on your terrace, simply raise a yellow flag above your stone villa, and a staff member will beat a path to the kitchen. Same goes for rum punches at the secluded palapas by the white-sand beach. Raise flag. Pink drinks appear. As there are no TVs or phones in the cottages, those who must hear voices can join the yachters and preppies in the open-air dining room. But usually the only sounds you'll hear will be palm trees rustling, surf rumbling, pages turning, and the sighs of utter satisfaction. Doubles from \$910, December through March, including all meals; 800-654-9326 or psvresort.com.—Joshua David

### Pink Sands

HARBOUR ISLAND

THE BAHAMAS

Things do look prettier in pink, especially the three miles of beach that border the exclusive Pink Sands hotel. With just 25 pastel West Indian-style cottages on 18 lush acres, there is plenty of privacy. For a bit of shopping, head to Dunsmore Town, just a few minutes' walk away. After a lazy afternoon of strolling through the duty-free boutiques, you can return to the hotel, where cranes wading in a pool near the restaurant will make you want to jump

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